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Source or Clarifying Statement:

in early 1953 consignments to South Africa from the US have been detained for considerable periods in South Africa due to insect infestation and fungus in the wood packing cases or crates. US exporters should, therefore, make certain that their packaging is free of contamination.

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